

ENGLAND IS FACING ANOTHER CRISIS IN IRELAND'S AFFAIRS

New Disorders More Serious Than Dublin Rebellion May Break Out At Any Time

LONDON PRESS SOUNDS A WARNING

Irish Leaders Hold Conference; Decide to Pursue Course Of Open Hostility.

LEADER OF CUBAN REBELLION CAUGHT

GOMEZ AND ENTIRE STAFF CAPTURED, ACCORDING TO PALACE ANNOUNCEMENT.

(International News Service.)
London, March 8.—Unconfirmed reports that Santiago has fallen to the government forces reached Havana early today following announcement of the capture of General Gomez, rebel leader, and members of his staff.

The reports said that Rigoberto Fernandez, commanding the rebels at Santiago, evacuated the city when Menocal troops approached and that government troops occupied Santiago without firing a shot.

Havana, March 8.—Announcement was made at the president's palace today that a message had been received there stating that Jose Miguel Gomez, former president of Cuba, had been captured with his entire staff, by Col. Collazo, commander of the government troops.

The news of the capture of General Gomez came in a dispatch from the secretary of the interior, Col. Aurelio Hevia, commanding the campaign in the province of Santa Clara. The dispatch said Col. Collazo had reported the capture of General Gomez and his staff. The announcement was received with cheering and the waving of hats by President Menocal and the army officers gathered at the palace. All officers, soldiers and prominent civilians who later came to the palace also cheered the news.

The senate today passed the bill which previously had passed the house authorizing the president to suspend constitutional guarantees. The bill now only needs the president's signature to become a law.

General Jose Miguel Gomez has been described as the leader of Cuban revolt. Forces which he commanded were defeated by those of Col. Collazo late in February in a battle on the Jatibonico river boundary between the provinces of Camaguey and Santa Clara, and it was reported that the insurrectos had been dispersed into small bands and that General Gomez had taken flight.

President Menocal was recently quoted as attributing the Cuban revolt to the "unbridled ambition" of General Gomez to overthrow him, but this was denied by General Gomez's friends. A few days ago it was stated that a Cuban judge had found a true bill against General Gomez on a charge of conspiracy and revolution and had fixed bail at \$200,000.

COMMERCE BOARD SMOKER MONDAY

Membership and Other Meetings to be Merged for This Occasion.

The smoker to be given by the Albany Board of Commerce, which has been twice postponed on account of inclement weather, will be held on next Monday night, according to an announcement of Secretary Archibald today.

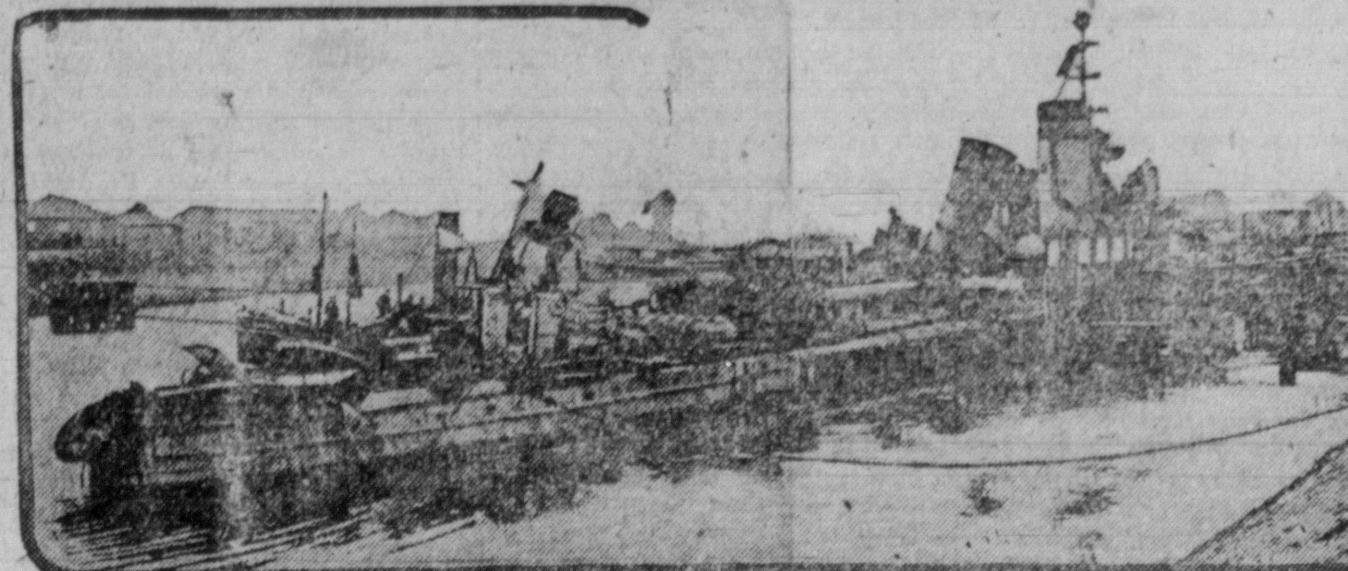
The quarterly membership meeting of the Board and the weekly meeting of the members' council will be merged into the smoker, it was stated. A full attendance of the membership is expected. An interesting program has been arranged.

NINE CASES IN COURT.

Nine cases faced Mayor James A. Nelson in Decatur police court this morning, all of them being alleged gamblers. Half a hundred dollars was collected in fines.

Cloture Rule Is Introduced In Senate; The President Has Right To Arm Ships

GERMAN DESTROYER BATTERED IN SEA FIGHT



The German destroyer V-60 at anchor in the harbor of Ymuiden, Holland, where it took refuge after the recent battle between German and British light sea forces. It was very badly damaged by British shell fire and the deck was covered with debris.

ZIMMERMANN HEADED THE GERMAN SPY PLOT

Evidence Connecting the Foreign Secretary With Anti-American Movement, Is Unearthed

(International News Service.)

New York, March 8.—A big round up of German spies is scheduled to start with the arrest of a third suspect in the plot charged against Ernest Sakunnan and Chandra Chakraberty. Federal agents expect to make arrests in California, Oregon, Washington, Panama, the Philippines and

other American territory where German agents have been active.

(International News Service.)

New York, March 8.—Documentary evidence connecting Dr. Zimmerman, the German foreign secretary, with the German spy system in the United States, is in the hands of federal authorities here, it was learned today.

These papers show that Zimmerman not only recommended payment of money to carry on spy plots but approved conspiracies being planned here.

(OFFICIALS REFUSE COMMENT.
(International News Service.)

Washington, March 7.—Officials of the government read with interest today the news that much of the German spy work in the United States was directed straight from the German foreign office in Wilhelmsrasse, but they invariably refused to comment on it in any way.

Negro Is Arrested, Pleads Guilty And Goes to Road in Hour

(International News Service.)

George Marshall, negro, furnishes an excellent example of the speed with which justice travels—sometimes.

Yesterday George was enjoying liberty and today he is just another number-wearer in the squad of Convict Commander Jackson on the county roads.

Here's how—George is alleged to have been selling booze to certain Austinville youth, who became intoxicated from the iron-eating firewater.

The attention of Chief of Police Parker of Austinville, was called to the matter.

He came here yesterday and arrested George.

The alleged "slipper salesman of in-toxics" was taken before Judge Troup immediately and pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to nine months. And left

For the roads

At once.

Sad World—for George!

President Has Cold; Is Ordered To Bed By Admiral Grayson

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 8.—President Wilson was ordered to bed today by Dr. Cary T. Grayson, his personal physician. The president is suffering from a severe cold, it was stated at the White House, but there are no complications yet. All engagements scheduled for today were cancelled.

Albany Night May Be Put On at Auto Show Next Week

A movement among local business men to have one night at the North Alabama automobile show next week set aside as "Albany Night," the event to be sponsored by the Albany Board of Commerce, was begun this morning.

The automobile show will begin on next Wednesday and will continue the remainder of the week and it is possible that the Malone Coal, Grain and Motor Company, promoters of the big show, will be induced to set aside a night especially for Albany citizens. One night has always been named as "Bankers' Night," but this will come Tuesday before the formal opening, the date being set because this is the day of the convention of Group 1, Alabama Bankers' association.

All of Albany and Decatur has gotten behind the auto show and will turn out to make it the biggest event in the commercial history of the Twin Cities. Local merchants are preparing to take care of the biggest trade in their history among out-of-town people, as thousands will be attracted to the show.

Among the interesting side-lights on the auto show which will be attractive to the thousands of readers of the Albany-Decatur Daily over North Alabama will be the special bargains for the auto show to be offered by local merchants next week.

"About the biggest thing the Twin Cities have ever put on" is the general verdict here of the auto show with its numerous and new models of motor cars, its band music and other special entertainment. Interest all over North Alabama is at fever heat.

BURL CLARK ESCAPES FOLLOWING DIFFICULTY ON VINE STREET.

Burl Clark, negro, is being sought by the Decatur police today on a charge of slashing the throat of Tump Garth, another negro. The cutting occurred during an affray between the men in a house on West Vine street, it is said. Clark escaped immediately afterward.

The Decatur police are following several clues today in an effort to locate the robbers who entered the home of D. D. McGhee, prominent business man. Tuesday night and escaped with a diamond lavallier, pearl ring, watch and chain, a small amount of money and a valuable ivory handled hand mirror.

The robbery occurred while Mr. and Mrs. McGhee were attending the moving picture show. Entrance was affected through a rear door. It is believed the burglar left through the front gate, a handkerchief with Mrs. McGhee's initials on it, being found on the sidewalk leading to the gate.

According to Mr. McGhee, it was the first time Mrs. McGhee had left the lavallier at home while away since she has owned it.

McGEEHEE HOME ENTERED WHILE FAMILY IS ATTENDING MOVING PICTURE SHOW.

The Atlantic Coast Line will operate a special train from Montgomery to Dothan about 1 p.m. on March 12. Extra equipment will be delivered to the Coast Line by the L. & N. for the accommodation of delegates.

Grant Special Rates To Woodmen Meeting

Head Camp to be Held at Dothan Beginning March 13.

The Louisville & Nashville railroad has granted special rates to the meeting of the head camp, Woodmen of the World, at Dothan, Ala., March 13-15, according to announcement today of Clark Dunn, traveling passenger agent. Low round trip rates will prevail, and it is expected that the attendance from North Alabama will be large.

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KITCHENER-CHURCHILL BLAMED FOR DARDENELLES CAMPAIGN

(International News Service.)

London, March 8.—Two of the men who were England's idols early in the war were hard hit today in the report of the investigating commission appointed to fix responsibility for the disastrous campaign at the Dardanelles. Lord Kitchener, former British war minister who was drowned, received the most severe censure. Both Lord Kitchener and Winston Churchill were criticised.

SEN. MARTIN SPONSORS BILL TO LIMIT DEBATE; ADOPTION IS LIKELY

No Objection to Immediate Consideration of Rule Was Offered, But Republican Began To Talk

LEWIS HOLDS THAT EXECUTIVE HAS RIGHT TO SAFEGUARD COMMERCE

Principle Involved Is Same As That Which Authorized Use Of Troops In Protecting Interstate Commerce.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 8.—The introduction of the cloture rule designed to end filibusters and remove the shackles from the president's hands in dealing with the submarine warfare, precipitated a sharp debate in the senate this afternoon. The failure of Senator LaFollette and his associates to object to immediate consideration of the resolution was interpreted as a favorable sign to its early adoption.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 8.—Senator Lewis of Illinois, democratic whip, this afternoon prepared for introduction in the senate a resolution declaring it to be the sense of the senate that the president has the same authority to protect American commerce as he has to safeguard interstate traffic.

Senator Lewis pointed out that the presidents in the past have employed the armed forces of the United States to prevent obstruction of commerce between the states.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 8.—Senator Martin, majority leader of the senate, introduced a cloture rule to limit debate and to prevent filibusters, immediately after the senate convened today.

"There is no desire to cut off legitimate debate," said Senator Martin in explaining the rule.

Senator Lodge declared that he hoped there would be no objection to immediate consideration of the resolution.

No objection was made to taking up the rule immediately, but Senator Sherman, of Illinois, who voted against the resolution in the republican caucus, took the floor to discuss it.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 8.—The new policy of the government to arm merchant ships and send them on their voyages regardless of Teutonic submarines was rapidly taking shape today for its presentation to the nation.

It is expected that a decision will be reached on a site for the plant immediately. Secretary Baker, before leaving Washington, declared every effort will be made to reach a decision within a few weeks, or as early as practicable.

Included in the party are Secretary of War Baker, Secretary of Agriculture Houston, Secretary of the Interior Lane, General Black, chief of army engineers, Colonel Wheeler of the ordnance department, Lieutenant Colonel Keller of the engineering corps, Dr. Charles L. Parsons of the bureau of mines, O. G. Merrill and J. N. Cuttler of the department of agriculture.

Meanwhile the navy department is going ahead preparing to furnish arms to all ship owners who desire them. Whether President Wilson's new policy will carry him so far as to provide naval convoys for American ships was still a debated question today.

Indications continued to point today to an extra session of congress not later than the middle of April.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 8.—An overwhelming majority of the senate stands ready to revise the rules to take from "the little group of wilful men" the power again to tie the president's hands in combatting the German submarine warfare.

Indications were, however, that the cloture rule, despite the endorsement of both the republican and democratic caucuses would be subjected to much individual discussion before its adoption.

Senator Lewis, re-elected democratic whip, predicted that at least a week's debate would be necessary to bring the adoption of the rule to a vote.

CHINA TO BREAK WITH THE KAISER

(International News Service.)

London, March 8.—English correspondents say the president of China has finally yielded to the wishes of his cabinet and will approve severance of diplomatic relations with Germany.

The correspondent of the Morning Post stated today that the rupture will take place soon, and a declaration of war will soon follow.

ALL POSTMASTERS TO GO UNDER CIVIL SERVICE

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 8.—President Wilson will issue an executive order on April 1 placing all first, second and third class postmasters under civil service rules, it was officially announced here.

SELL VIRGINIA RIGHTS FOR LOCAL PRODUCT

(International News Service.)

Decatur Cornice & Roofing Company Closes Big Deal.

The Decatur Cornice & Roofing Co. has closed a contract with a large engineering company of Virginia by which it acquires the sales rights in the Old Dominion of the Alabama corrugated rim ventilator. This ventilator was patented and is manufactured exclusively by the local concern. Its sale has proved phenomenal, sales having been made all over the United States. Wherever sold, the ventilator has given satisfaction.

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NO MORE OPPOSITION TO MUSCLE SHOALS.

In withdrawing the claims of the Warrior river as a site for the government's proposed nitrate plant, President James Weatherly of the Birmingham Civic association makes it clear that Muscle Shoals will have the undivided support of Alabama. Mr. Weatherly stated that an investigation had shown the inexpediency of supporting Lock 17 for the plant.

It is encouraging to know that there will be no further division of sentiment regarding a matter so important to the South and to the whole country. While the Warrior river site may have some claims to consideration, those of Muscle Shoals are much greater. More is to be gained by having one great plant in the South than by having one or two smaller plants.

This action of the Civic association will quiet the fears expressed in some of the Tennessee valley towns that Birmingham would not unite all its forces to obtain the nitrate plant for Muscle Shoals.

An able and well financed campaign has been conducted, which has created a strong belief in this section that Muscle Shoals will be successful. The secretaries of war, agriculture and interior, with a number of government experts, will hold the hearing in Birmingham, which is also considered encouraging, as showing that the great resources of this immediate district will be taken into consideration. They will doubtless have much weight in convincing the board that Muscle Shoals is the most desirable site in the United States for a great nitrate plant.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

SCHOOL GARDENING.

A very progressive step was taken by the authorities of the Albany public schools when it was decided to use the city's vacant property around the school for gardens to be worked by the students.

This step has the endorsement of no less a distinguished educator and public man than Dr. P. P. Claxton, commissioner of education in the department of the interior of the United States government. In an interview with Dr. Claxton from the department the Daily found the following today:

"For four millions of these there is access to back yards, side yards, front yards and vacant lots, which might be cultivated as small gardens for the growth of vegetables and small fruits. Many live space could be easily had for chickens, ducks, or pigeons. And there are less than 6,000,000 older boys and girls and adult men and women for whom an hour or two of work each day in a garden would be the best form of recreation and rest from the routine of their daily labor in office or shop or mill or mine, and who might easily find the time for it."

"With some intelligent direction, these school children and older boys and girls and men and women might easily produce on the available land an average of \$75 each in vegetables and fruits for their own tables or for sale in their immediate neighborhood; fresh and crisp through all the growing months and wholesomely canned and preserved for use in winter. This would add \$750,000,000 to the net form of food supply of the country without cost of transportation or storage and without profits of middlemen. The estimate is very conservative, as has been shown by many experiments."

"In addition to the economic profits, there would be for the children health and strength, removal from temptation to vice, and education of the best type; and for older persons, rest and recreation in the open air and the joy of watching things grow."

"This might all be attained at comparatively little cost by putting into the public schools for every hundred children between the ages of 9 and 16, one teacher skilled in gardening and paid for all the year. One such teacher could easily direct the work of 100 children, and of the 150 older persons belonging to the families of these children or living in their community. Thus 40,000 teachers of this kind would be sufficient for the entire country. These teachers might easily be had for an average additional salary of \$500 or a total of \$20,-

000.000. There would be some cost for seeds and some for fertilizers and tools, but after the first year the cost of these last two items would be comparatively little. The proceeds would represent profits to a greater extent than in any other kind of production. The miracle of it is in bringing together idle land on the one hand and idle children and tired people on the other. Alone, neither is productive, but all would benefit by the combination even if the vegetables and fruits produced had no value; the land by the cultivation, the children by the health-giving, educational labor, and the older people by the hours outdoors and the contact with the soil."

KILBY'S PROGRESSIVE CAMPAIGN.

Thos. E. Kilby, in his candidacy for governor of Alabama, is making a unique campaign. He is not relying on antiquated "gum shoe" methods, nor is he trusting to oratorical swell binding. Mr. Kilby is buying good newspaper space and going direct to the people. He is outlining his platform in black and white, is taking a stand on the big issues of the day that concern Alabama, and is leaving no loop holes for speculation as to what he really stands for. Already, while prospective candidates are remaining "in the hands of their friends," Mr. Kilby is out in the open and is going after what he wants and is telling what he will do with the office if he gets it. Whether he wins or loses, it is apparent that he is going to set a hot pace for competition.

The Huntsville Times, edited by Hon. J. Emory Pierce, on last Sunday issued its second Spring Fashion number. The special edition contained twenty pages, was filled with good paying advertisements and was handsomely illustrated. The Fashion number was redolent with the breath of Spring; it carried to milady the eternal message of new clothes and no doubt set many a fair favorite to thinking of a wardrobe in keeping with the glorious promise of the season. Furthermore, it must have awoken Huntsvillians to the possibilities of shopping at home; of spending their good money where they made it. Merchants who advertise in home papers are usually the last to complain of the encroachments of the mail order house. The Times is to be congratulated on its enterprise and initiative.

The Huntsville Mercury, in a first page announcement, advises its readers that it has again jumped to the fore by subscribing for the leased wire report of the International News Service. This is the report received by the Daily; it is the report that has enabled the Daily to rob many of its metropolitan competitors of local circulation. Friend Verbeck over at Gadson and the Daily's own staff of typewriter clickers welcome O'Neal of the Mercury back to the banquet board from which Virgil Evans daily serves the steaming news. It is always hot; it is always attractively garnished; it is always palatable, wholesome and tempting. A few good headlines, a little newspaper instinct and the I. N. S. service will make any newspaper readable and welcomed.

CONCERNING KAPPA MU ALPHA.

"In Tuesday's issue of the Daily appeared an article concerning the organization of a fraternity, Kappa Mu Alpha, in the Albany high school," said a well-known young lady.

"Do the founders and those who have become members of this known how prep school secret organizations are regarded by the national college fraternities of the country? And do they realize what being a member of this may mean to them when they go to college and expect and hope to re-

Just In Passing

TRAVELOG MAY COME HERE.

"We expect to put the Alabama travelog picture in one of the Albany or Decatur playhouses, if we can make arrangements satisfactory to your manager there," said P. O. Alken, secretary of the Huntsville Chamber of Commerce. "The film is very interesting, the leading role being taken by Henry B. Walthall, the famous Alabama star. The picture will be shown in many cities in Alabama first, and later will be exhibited over the nation. Miss Helen McKnight, one of the best known writers in the moving picture field has taken special pride in preparing the scenario and has written a story that will show to better advantage the opportunities and possibilities of the state."

PRODUCE BIG BUSINESS.

"It would surprise some of our citizens if they knew the magnitude the produce business here is assuming," said a local citizen today. "I know that on one night last week a shipment of eggs was made from here, on which the express charges alone were in the neighborhood of \$300. If the produce industry continues to grow in Albany and Decatur during the next five years as it has in the past three, the cities will be by far the largest produce shipping points in Alabama. They are not so far behind now and are running strong. In my opinion this growth is one of the best things that could possibly happen to this section, providing as it does a ready market for the farmer who believes in and practices diversified farming."

OLIE JAMES CONGRATULATES.

"I was very much pleased recently to receive a letter from Senator Ollie James of Kentucky, congratulating me upon the birth of my son," said Col. B. A. Hodgins. "The letter is as follows:

"Dear Sir and Friend:—I am in receipt of your letter of recent date, together with copy of paper announcing the birth of your son. I wish to congratulate you most heartily and hope for him much success and happiness through life. Thanking you for your kind expressions concerning myself, I am, very truly your friend, Ollie M. James."

NEW YORK IN TURMOIL.

"New York is in the worst turmoil I have ever seen it," a Gotham friend writes to a prominent woman of Albany. "The city has gone war mad, as a result of the exposure of the German plots to involve Mexico and Japan in a conflict with this country and the successful outcome of the filibuster in the Senate against President Wilson's armed neutrality bill. Word has been flashed about that a plot is on foot here to blow up the subway systems and they are now heavily guarded. Some of the patriotic demonstrations here have caused me to want to put on my uniform and go to war immediately."

NOTICE—MORTGAGE SALE.

State of Alabama,
Morgan County.
Under and by virtue of a mortgage executed to the undersigned, Isabella S. Payne, by J. D. Roberts and Minnie J. Roberts, on December 1, 1905, for \$550.00, conveying the property hereinbefore described, the said Isabella S. Payne will, on the 24th day of March, 1917, within the hours of legal sale, at the door of the court house in Decatur, Morgan County, Alabama, offer for sale at public outcry, for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described real estate situated in Albany, Morgan County, Alabama, formerly New Decatur, to-wit:

Lot Thirteen (13) Block Sixty-Three (63), Addition Four (4), of the Decatur Land Improvement and Furnace Company to Decatur, Alabama.

Witness my hand this 20th day of February, 1917.

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Marriage License Is Given Youthful Pair

Consent of Parents Necessary for Issuance of Matrimonial Papers.

Consent of the parents of both the bride and groom was necessary before a marriage license could be issued by the Morgan county probate court today to Joseph A. Brown and Miss Virgie Earwood, of Joppa. The consent was forthcoming, however, and matrimonial papers were issued immediately. The age of the groom was given at 20, while the bride has seen only 17 summers.

More Ships Scuttled By German U-Boats

(International News Service.)
Berlin, March 8.—During a recent time German submarines have sunk 21 steamers, 10 sailing vessels and 16 fishing craft of a total tonnage of 91,000 tons, it was officially announced today.

ALL GUARDSMEN HOME APRIL 1

(International News Service.)
Washington, March 8.—All the national guardsmen now on the border will be back at their home stations by April 1, the war department announced today. General Pershing has notified the department that the plans for the guardsmen's return have been completed and that the last unit will leave the border March 26.

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ceive a "bid" from a national fraternity there?

"The Fifth National Inter-Fraternity Conference (a conference which is held annually in New York City), to quote report on same, 'voted that all national fraternities be asked to prohibit the initiation of men who had been members of high school fraternities.' In many fraternities this was made law; and by now it may be universally adopted in the Greek letter fraternity world."

"The question of prep school 'so-called' frats has been widely debated,

and the eligibility of members from such organizations (where they are allowed to exist by faculties and governing boards) to membership in national fraternities has been thrashed out before fraternity conferences, Pan-Hellenic, individual fraternities and individual chapters for the last four years. It is a long, long question, and the writer cannot go into detail as to the pro and con of same. However, facts are facts, and fraternity laws are laws. I say for my own fraternity, and it is one of the foremost, we cannot initiate one who has become a member of a prep school frat

since 1915.

"Information on this subject can be obtained from Banta's Greek Exchange, as an authority, and other fraternity publications of like kind, and I am sure any fraternity will be glad to give it.

"The author of this little article wishes to say that it is not written in a spirit to discourage any organization with the uplift, not only of its members, but every student, as its aim, thus being true to the name fraternity, and its ideals. Instead it is written in a spirit of helpfulness, and to give information, not advice, upon a matter which is familiar to the college fraternity man, but of which others do not generally know."

SPELLING BEE PLANNED.

"You better brush up on your spelling if you want to stand any show at the spelling bee to be given under the auspices of the School Improvement Association next Friday night," said Mrs. W. R. Shelton. "The bee will be held in the school auditorium and we are anticipating a large crowd. It will be arranged on the old-fashioned plan, probably with the 'blue back' speller being used."

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AMUSEMENTS

"THE PRINCESS PAT"

"The Princess Pat," Henry Blossom and Victor Herbert's latest musical play triumph, will undoubtedly receive a warm welcome when it comes to the Masonic theatre tonight. Mr. Blossom's book has been most highly recommended and to Mr. Herbert's music there has been accorded unstinted praise. To the play he has given 20 numbers, every one of which vies with the other for first honors. The titles of some of these are "Love Is Best of All," "Make Him Guess," "I'd Like to be a Quilter, but I Find It Hard to Quit," "Alies," "When a Girl's About to Marry," "For Better or For Worse," "Flirting," "In a Little World for Two," "The Shoes of Husband Number One as Worn by Number Two," "All For You," "Neapolitan Love Song," and "Two Laughing Irish Eyes." An exceptional cast of principals includes Dorothy South, Chas. Meyers, Ethel Boyd, Frank Shee, Victoria Guarin, Annette Ford, Lou Powers, Stanley Ridges, Augustus Buell and Elmer Haynes. A real singing chorus and augmented orchestra are important accessories to the organization.

PERSONALS

John L. Brock, Jr., after a visit here of several weeks, left for Denver, Col., last night.

Earl Calvin returned yesterday from Birmingham. Mrs. Calvin and Earl, Jr., aged 3 days, are doing well.

Horace Kelley, of Sheffield, will leave tomorrow evening for Albany for a few days' visit, after which he will leave for Anniston, having accepted a position with the Anniston Star. Mr. Kelley has been connected with the Tri-Cities Daily for over a year, and both it and his many friends regret his decision to leave for another field.—Tri-Cities Daily.

**Harry Yost Is Here
Ahead Hans and Fritz**

Big Musical Success to be Presented at the Masonic March 14.

Harry Yost, well known theatrical man and former manager of the old O'Brien theatre at Birmingham in the days when the Magic City was on the burlesque wheel, was in the Twin Cities today in the interest of "Hans and Fritz," the big musical show adapted from the famous "funny" "The Katzenjammer Kids," which will be presented at the Masonic theatre on March 14.

While here Mr. Yost visited Leonard Hobart, manager of the Lyons hotel, an old-time friend, and also renewed acquaintance with newspaper men that knew in the palmy days of Birmingham burlesque.

"Hans and Fritz" is the big hit of the season," declared Mr. Yost. "It carries the prettiest bunch of girls on the road today, and wherever it has been presented it has met with unusual success. The Nashville newspapers declared it to be the funniest show of the year."

**Yarrowdale Prisoners
Were Released Today**

Men Held in Quarantine by Germany
Have Liberty Restored.

(International News Service)

Amsterdam, March 8.—A dispatch filed at Berlin at noon yesterday and received here today declared that the Yarrowdale prisoners were to be released yesterday afternoon, the quarantine on their prison camp having expired.

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**Leading Lady Has
Many Friends Here**

Dorothy South, Star in "The Princess Pat," is a Native of Tennessee.

Dorothy South, leading woman in "The Princess Pat," the offering tonight at the Masonic theatre, has many friends in the Twin Cities. Numbered among these is Mrs. J. D. McNabb, who is an intimate friend of Mrs. McMillan, of Knoxville, Tenn., mother of the popular actress. Mrs. South was born at Knoxville and resided there until she began her stage career. Her father is prominent in Tennessee Elkdom, and when she plays Knoxville next for the first time as a star, she is to be given a royal reception.

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TWO PIANOS.

The following program will be given on tomorrow afternoon by the pupils of Miss Florence Bassett at 4 o'clock at the residence on Jackson street:

Military March.....Schubert

Rowena Baker, Helen Hall, Ruth Gibson, Hilda Polytinsky.

The Palace Built by Music—Raymond Alden.

Reading—Frances Todd.

Spanische Tanze.....Moszkowski

Rolene Teasley, Marie Evelyn Calvin,

Mary Harvey, Frances Todd.

Sonatina (First Movement)—Clementi

Baby Bean Bailey, Miss Bassett.

La Secret (Trio).....Bautier

Dorothy Patterson, Inez Teasley,

Mary Jervis.

Sonatina (Third Movement)—Clementi

Mildred Moebes, Miss Bassett.

Weiner Nalzer.....Gurlitt

Frances Todd, Dorothy Patterson,

Rolene Teasley, Mary Harvey.

Daisies (Swing Song)—Riley-Gaynor

Dorothy Cook, Lucy Haywood Binford, Margaret Davis.

Rondo.....Gurlitt

Marie Evelyn Calvin, Miss Bassett.

Spanische Tanze.....Moszkowski

Helen Hall, Rowena Baker, Hilda Polytinsky, Ruth Gibson.

OLSHINE-ALEXANDER.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Alexander, of Hartsville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Theresa, to Mr. Harry Olschine of Decatur. The date of the marriage will be announced later.

The above announcement will be of interest to Miss Theresa's many friends here where she has grown up to young womanhood. She is a favorite in social life among our young people here. Mr. Olschine is one of Decatur's leading merchants and has a high standing among his fellow townsmen.—Hartsville Enterprise.

**Korean Missionary
Speaks Here Tonight**

W. Monroe Clark to be Heard at the First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. W. Monroe Clark, a Presbyterian missionary to Korea, who has seen many years service in the foreign field and is now at home on a furlough, will speak this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church of Decatur, according to announcement of the pastor, Rev. W. N. Sholl. Members of the church and the public generally are invited to be present.

**Iron Cross Forwarded
To Senator Vardaman**

"Lest the Kaiser Forget" is Inscription on Token Sent From Miss.

Memphis, March 8.—(Special)—Numerous expressions of disapproval have gone forward from Mississippians to Washington regarding the action of Senator James K. Vardaman in joining the twelve senators who prolonged the senate proceedings last Saturday, preventing a vote on the armed neutrality bill.

The most unique expression of disapproval is a large iron cross weighing forty pounds, with the inscription "Lest the Kaiser Forget," shipped today from Biloxi, Miss., by Thomas Collins, a blacksmith, who forged it at the behest of former admirers of Vardaman. A communication addressed to the junior Mississippi senator will be sent stating that the iron cross is bestowed believing that the valor of the senator may not reach the ears of the Kaiser. The iron cross is given by Mississippians, the message continues, for giving Woodrow Wilson the double cross.

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Notice is hereby given of the dissolution of Weber & Block, which becomes effective this date, Feb. 22, 1917. Mr. Block assumes all indebtedness and will collect all accounts.

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**BRITAIN TRIES TO
COERCER HOLLAND**

The Hague, March 8.—Reports from London that the British government may attempt to coerce Holland into sending her ships to sea to face the submarine peril aroused considerable indignation in official circles here today. Newspapers with pro-ally sympathies feel that England is making a blunder in attacking the Dutch government on this point.

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ATHENS COLLEGE NOTES.

There was a most enjoyable recital given in Music Hall by pupils from the departments of piano, voice and oratory, on Thursday afternoon, Mar. 1, at 4:30. Each one on the program did work that was a credit to the individual and to the teacher under whom it was studied. They were pupils of Misses McCandless, Weaves, Moore and Wakefield. Those playing piano solos were Misses Elizabeth Chancellor, Annie Sparkman, Rebecca Malone, Margaret Smith, Cornelia Ramos, Eunice Smith Gilbert and Esther Coupland. Misses Aleeth Chittwood, Elizabeth Hobbs, Marjorie Ranney and Ruth Savage each sang a group of songs, and Master D. J. Wilson, Misses Maggie Lou Johnson and Ruth Moore read attractive selections.

The Mallory Company of players gave David Garrick in Music Hall on Monday evening, March 5. It was a creditable performance, each part being taken in admirable appreciation of the time and character. The costumes were beautiful and harmonious. It is a very popular play and was thoroughly enjoyed by everybody.

Dr. J. D. Simpson, the pastor of the Methodist church here, is greatly beloved by all of the college family. During the past week he was a guest at the college. Each morning the school assembled at 8 o'clock in the chapel for services conducted by him, and again in the evening from 6 to 7 o'clock those living at the college had the same privilege. These services were wonderfully helpful to everybody. Dr. Simpson is a man who radiates the gentle and benevolent spirit of true Christianity, and his words can not fail to go home to the hearts of those who hear him and they must bear fruit.

Dr. E. A. Clement, of Nashville, has been secured to serve as financial agent of Athens College, and will start at once on the campaign for the endowment which is to mean "A Greater Athens College." There was great rejoicing when he was so introduced in chapel Wednesday morning. Dr. Clement comes to Athens with a splendid record in this kind of work elsewhere, and he is enthusiastically received here.

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Girls With Beautiful Faces or Graceful Figures

American girls have a world-wide reputation for beauty, but, at the same time, there are girls in our cities who possess neither beauty of face nor form, because in these instances they suffer from nervousness, the result of disorders of the womanly organism. At regular intervals they suffer so much that their strength leaves them; they are so prostrated that it takes days for them to recover their strength. Of course, such periodic distress has its bad effect on the nervous system. The withered, and drawn faces, the dark circles and crow's feet about the eyes, the straight figure without those curves which lend so much to feminine beauty are the unmistakable signs of womanly disorders.

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Victoria Gouran in Victor Herbert's musical play, "The Princess Pat," at Masonic Theatre Tonight.

Shoemaker to Take Term In Penitentiary

Former Manager of Gurley Bank Makes Arrangement With State.

E. B. Shoemaker, former manager of the Tennessee Valley Bank at Gurley, will accept a prison term on charges brought against him, alleging misappropriation of funds of the bank according to a dispatch received here today from Montgomery.

The following details of the case were received here today:

E. B. Shoemaker, former manager of the Gurley branch of the Tennessee Valley Bank, will plead guilty to charges brought against him by the Madison county grand jury in connection with the handling of funds of the bank, and will accept a term of three years in the penitentiary. The state banking department Wednesday was notified that Shoemaker had agreed to enter the plea and that the agreement had been accepted by D. C. Almon, solicitor of the Eighth judicial circuit. The agreement was approved by the state banking department.

"Discrepancies amounting to about \$15,000 were found in Shoemaker's accounts 60 days ago by L. L. Gellerstedt, state banking examiner, and Shoemaker was immediately arrested. The banking department was making plans to prosecute the case when the agreement was made. Shoemaker will be carried to the penitentiary at once.

"The defaulting manager turned back to the bank certain property which he owned and the bank will be fully protected for the balance of the shortage by Shoemaker's bond."

Anti-Treason Act Is Published Over Nation

Sheriffs of All Counties Received Copy of Congressional Bill.

Sheriffs of all counties in the United States have received copies of the congressional act, prohibiting threats against the president, with the request that they be published so that all public officials may be warned to keep careful look-out for violators of the section.

The law is popularly called the "anti-treason" act and is as follows: "Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any person who knowingly and willfully deposits or causes to be deposited for conveyance in the mail or for delivery from any post office or by any letter carrier any letter, paper, writing, print, missive, or document containing any threat to take the life of or to inflict bodily harm upon the president of the United States; or who knowingly and willfully otherwise makes any such threat against the president, shall upon conviction be fined not exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment not exceeding five years or both."

Approved, February 14, 1917.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATRIX.

F. C. Rasch, Deceased, Estate of Probate Court, Morgan County. Letters of administration upon the state (or, letters testamentary under the last will and testament) of said decedent, having been granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of February, 1917, by the Hon. E. P. Tron, Judge of the Probate Court of Morgan County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time allowed by the law, or that the same will be barred.

MRS. MARTHA RASCH,

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TWO MORE LINERS GET THROUGH ZONE

(International News Service.)

New York, March 8.—The French liner Rochambeau docked here today, having made her way safely through the barred zone. She brought 82 cabin passengers and 39 French soldiers on leave of absence who came in the steerage.

The White Star liner Baltic docked here today after an uneventful voyage from Liverpool with passengers and mail, and brought reports of the safe passage of the Adriatic through the barred zone on its way here. Two other British ships, the tanker Lakawanna of London, and the Zistan from Bombay also arrived here today.

BROTHERHOOD MEN THREATEN STRIKE

BIG CHIEFS AND DISTRICT CHAIRMEN MEET FOR CONFERENCE AT CLEVELAND.

(International News Service.)

Cleveland, O., March 8.—Plans for an immediate strike if the United States supreme court holds the Adamson 8-hour law unconstitutional were discussed today at a meeting of the heads of the Big Four brotherhoods with 600 district chairmen from the east and west.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 8.—Judge W. L. Chambers, head of the board of mediation and conciliation, when told today of the rumored strike of the Big Four brotherhoods, said he was confident that the railway men will await the decision of the supreme court on the Adamson 8-hour law.

If the brotherhood men become impatient and decide to take action before the supreme court decides the case, Judge Chambers said the board will intervene.

Alderman Of Albany Sued By Son-In-Law

Plaintiff Alleges False Detention at Behest of Defendant.

W. B. McCulloch, alderman of Albany, was made defendant in a suit for \$10,000 filed today by his son-in-law, Fred Webster, in the Morgan county circuit court. The plaintiff alleges the defendant caused him to be detained in connection with proceedings reflecting on his sanity.

The plaintiff sometime ago was placed in the county jail by Chief of Police Cobb and Patrolman Howell, of Albany. He was taken to Huntsville and later released.

Betts and Betts and D. C. Almon are attorneys for the plaintiff.

WESTSIDE CHURCH AUDITORIUM HAS BEEN GREATLY BEAUTIFIED.

Through the liberality of two young men the West Side Presbyterian church auditorium has been greatly beautified with aisle carpet and a handsome library table. Seven members were added to the church at the communion service last Sunday.



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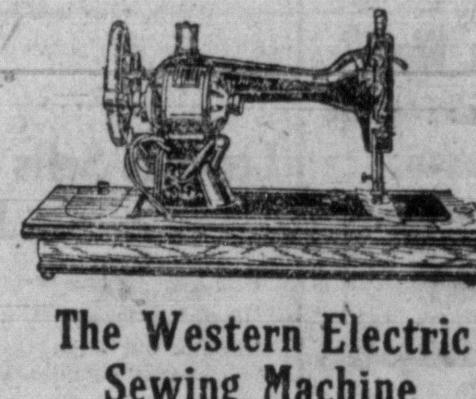
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